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ONE MAN-ONE GLOVE: The Legend Of **WILD MAN FISCHER**

Part 2: Just Passing Through

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SOMETIMES HE'D WALK OFF BY HIMSELF TO ROAM THE STREETS.



AFTER HIS SUCCESSFUL CONCERT APPEARANCE IN SPOKANE, LARRY "WILD MAN" FISCHER CAMPED OUT ON OUR LIVING ROOM COUCH.



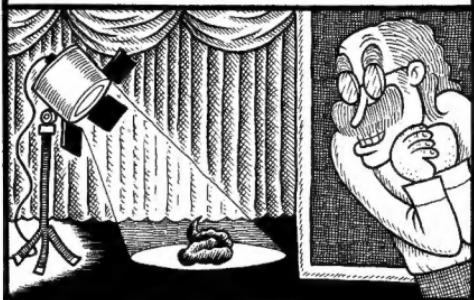
HE DIDN'T SEEM TO REQUIRE MUCH SLEEP.







... AND ADJUSTED THE LIGHTING.



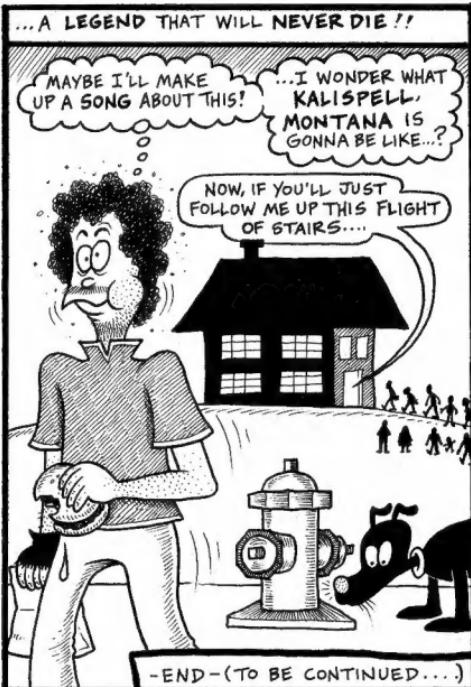
THEN HE WENT INTO BUSINESS.



IT'S GUYS LIKE DAVE WHO HELPED CREATE THE LEGEND OF WILD MAN FISCHER...



Have a STROMBOLI ~ BURGER ~ Spokane's Biggest & Best



WHILE I WAS GOING TO COLLEGE, I MOVED INTO AN APARTMENT COMPLEX WHERE A LOT OF OTHER FOOTBALL PLAYERS LIVED.

THE ROCK

by DENNIS P. EICHHORN
ARTWORK by WAYNO



WE GOT DRUNK AND RAISED HELL ON A REGULAR BASIS.



IT WOULD HAVE BEEN PERFECT EXCEPT FOR OUR LANDLORD, MISTER MERLIN.





ONE NIGHT WE DECIDED TO PULL A LITTLE PRANK ON MR. MERLIN. FIRST, WE BORROWED SOME APPROPRIATE WHEELS...

...AND THEN WE DROVE TO A ROCK QUARRY JUST OUTSIDE OF TOWN.



WE LOADED THE BIGGEST ROCK WE COULD LIFT ONTO THE TRUCK.



THEN WE PAINTED IT GREEN.



WE DROVE TO THE APARTMENT COMPLEX...



... AND DUMPED IT ON MR. MERLIN'S DRIVEWAY!



THE NEXT MORNING, MISTER MERLIN WAS NOT AMUSED.



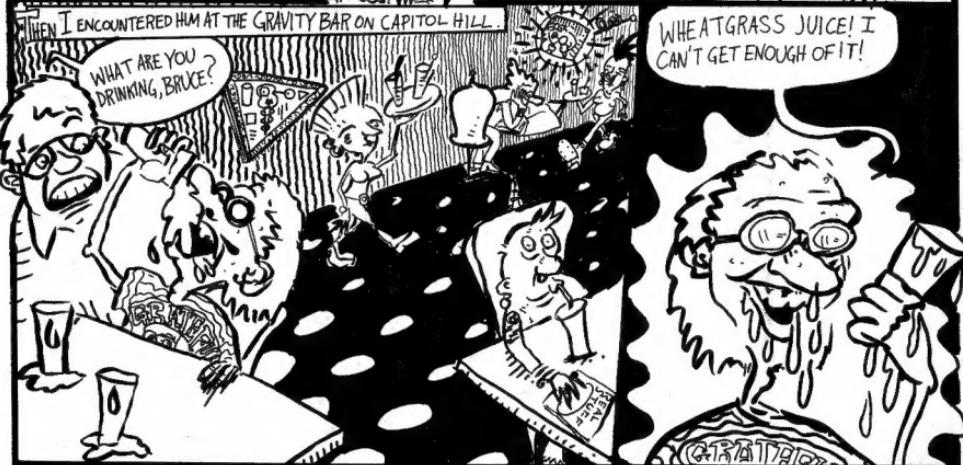
HE HAD TO HIRE A CRANE TO HAVE IT REMOVED...



... AND HE NEVER MENTIONED THE MAN OF STEEL TO US AGAIN!

WHEATGRASS-HOLE

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RADICAL LOVE

STORY BY DENNIS P. EICHORN ART BY COLIN UPTON LETTERING BY PAT MORIARTY & ROBERTA GREGORY



I WAS WORKING AS INVESTIGATIVE EDITOR FOR SEATTLE'S ROCKET MAGAZINE WHEN THE WORD CAME DOWN - HOT STORY!

DIG THIS: ONE OF THE SUBHUMANS HAS JUST BEEN ARRESTED FOR TERRORISM IN VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA!

I'M ON MY WAY!

I DROPPED EVERYTHING AND RACED FOR THE BORDER

THE SUBHUMANS ARE ONE OF CANADA'S MOST PROMISING PUNK BANDS! HOW CAN THIS BE?



WHEN I REACHED VANCOUVER I CONTACTED A SOURCE WITH MUSIC SCENE CONNECTIONS. WE MET AND HE FILLED ME IN.

SO WHICH ONE OF THE SUBHUMANS GOT BUSTED?

GERRY HANNAH, THE BASS PLAYER.

"ON STAGE, HE GOES BY THE NAME GERRY USELESS"

YOU CALL US WEIRDOS...

...CALL US CRAZY
SAY WE'RE EVIL
SAY WE'RE LAZY...



"GERRY'S AN ENVIRONMENTALIST. SO'S JULIE BELMAS, HIS LADY-FRIEND. SHE GOT BUSTED TOO."

SCUTTLE THE TERRY FOX!



"YEAH, THREE OTHERS. DOUG STEWART, FOR ONE. ANOTHER ENVIRONMENTALIST... HE'S BEEN ACTIVE IN THE ANTI-TRIDENT NUCLEAR SUBMARINE MOVEMENT."



"SO IT'S AGREED: WE'LL MEET AT BANGOR, WASHINGTON, TO PARTICIPATE IN A MASS SIT-IN."



"THEY SHARE THE SAME CONCERN..."

THE PEOPLE... UNITED...



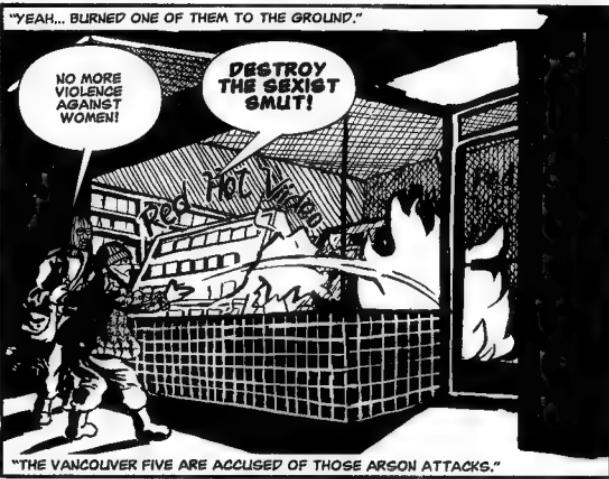
"BRENT MADE THE NEWS BACK IN 1977, WHEN HE DELIVERED A COCONUT CREAM PIE TO TORY OPPOSITION LEADER JOE CLARK."



"THE ANARCHIST WING OF CANADA'S GROUCHO MARXIST PARTY TOOK CREDIT."



"TOGETHER THEY ARE KNOWN AS THE VANCOUVER FIVE!"



...THAT WAS A *BIG* MISTAKE!

WHOOOMP!



"THERE WERE SEVEN INJURIES, BUT NO DEATHS... PLUS, ANOTHER FIVE MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF DAMAGE! C.L.E.U. (CO-ORDINATED LAW ENFORCEMENT UNIT) SPRANG INTO ACTION.



THEN, IN MID-JANUARY, CAME THE ARRESTS. ALL FIVE ARE ACCUSED OF THE BOMBINGS, AS WELL AS A HOST OF OTHER CRIMES: CONSPIRACY TO ROB A BRINKS TRUCK, AUTO-THEFT, POSSESSION OF FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES.





FINALLY THE VERDICT WAS READ: GUILTY! JULIE, GENEVIEVE AND DOLCE RECEIVED SENTENCES RANGING FROM SIX TO 20 YEARS. THEN IT WAS ANN'S TURN...





THINGS HAVE CHANGED, BUT THE RAPE OF THE PLANET AND THE PEOPLE ON IT CONTINUES AT AN ALARMING PACE. THE VANCOUVER FIVE TOOK THIS TO HEART... AND PAID THE PRICE FOR THEIR **RADICAL LOVE!**



LAFFS-A-LOT

BY DENNIS EICHHORN
ARTWORK BY
ERIC THERIAULT

FOR A TIME I WORKED AT
A SELF-SERVICE STORAGE
WAREHOUSE NEAR SEATTLE

Jonathan's
storage

YES, SIR, THAT'LL
BE \$35 A MONTH
FOR A 10'x6' UNIT



WE RENTED HUNDREDS OF STORAGE UNITS IN
VARYING SIZES. TWICE A DAY I'D CHECK THE
LOCKS



ONE DAY TWO GUYS RENTED ONE OF OUR LARGEST
UNITS.

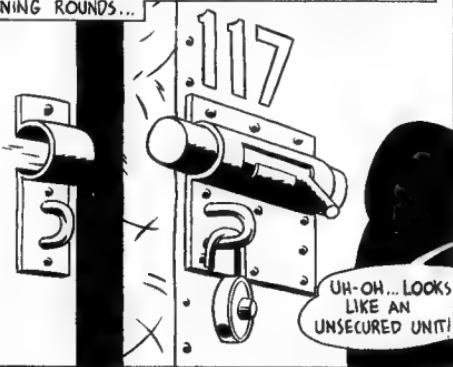
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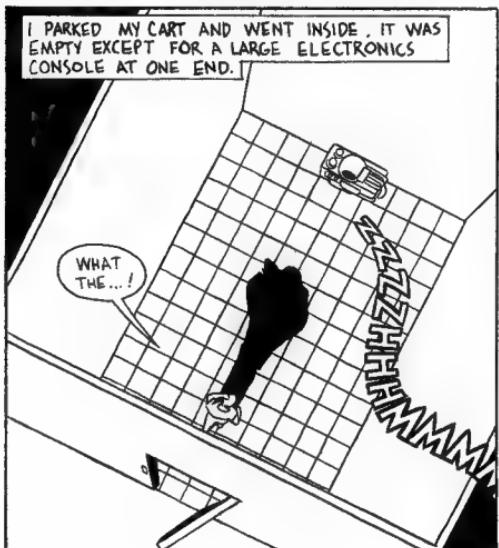
BUT A FEW DAYS LATER, WHEN I MADE THE EVE-
NING ROUNDS...

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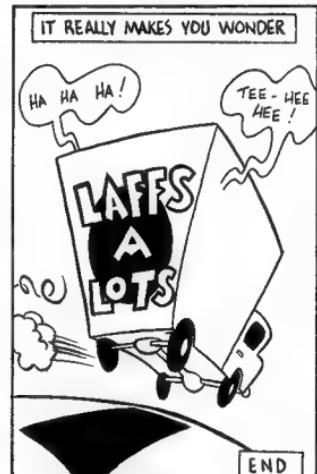
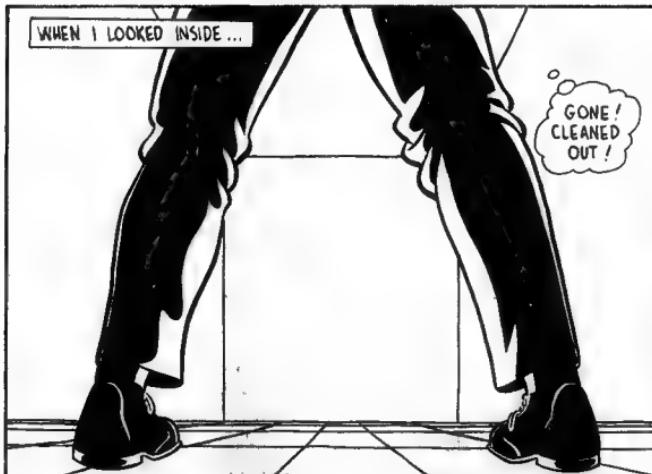
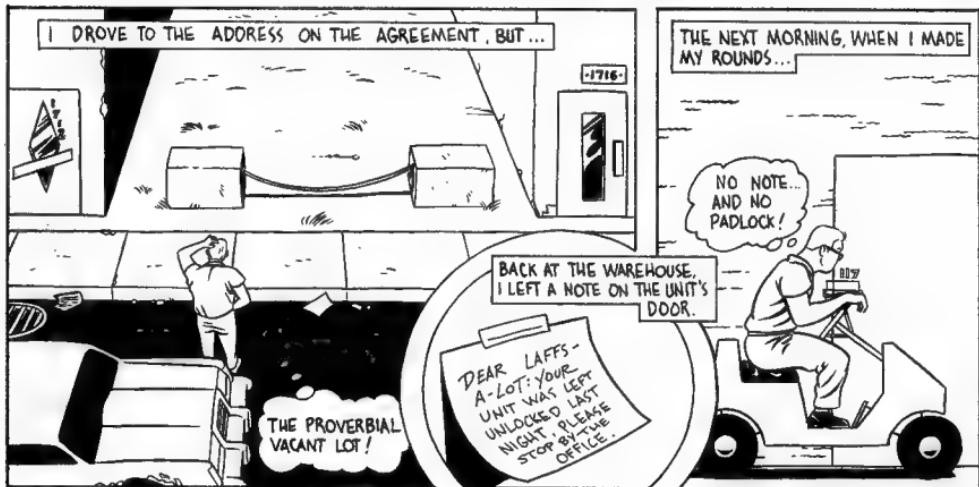
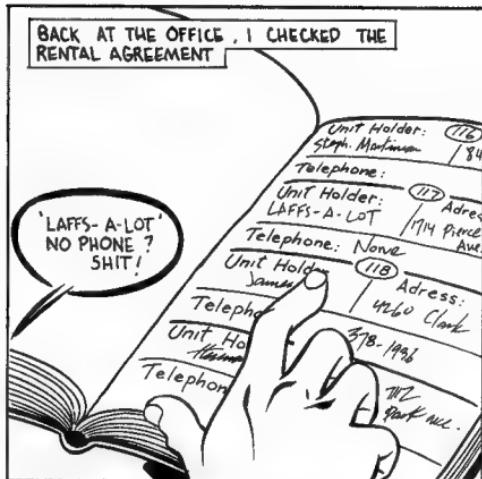
I PARKED MY CART AND WENT INSIDE. IT WAS
EMPTY EXCEPT FOR A LARGE ELECTRONICS
CONSOLE AT ONE END.

WHAT
THE...!



THIS IS
REALLY
WEIRD!





THE NOT-So-SCREAMING ESCAPE

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DRAWINGS BY SOOK-YIN LEE & CHESTER BROWN





WE'D GET FUCKED UP ON BOOZE
AND GO TO THE DANCES LOOKING
FOR GIRLS AND TROUBLE.
OF COURSE, SOMETIMES...

HEY, SLOW DOWN,
EICHORN! SAVE
SOME FOR LATER!

THERE'S A
PARKING
SPOT.

...I'D GET TOO FUCKED UP.

LEAVE HIM IN
THE CAR!

LET'S GO HAVE
SOME FUN!

UNNNN...

HALF AN HOUR LATER I'D CLEARED
MY HEAD ENOUGH TO LURCH INTO
THE DANCE HALL.

LOTS OF GOOD
LOOKIN'
CHICKS
HERE...

HEY! IT COSTS FIVE
BUCKS TO GET IN
ASSHOLE!

HUH?

HANDS
OFF
PIG-
FUCKER!

YOU'RE
UNDER
ARREST!

STOP THAT!

LET'S GO! WE'LL PUT YOU IN THE
HOLDING TANK
UNTIL
MORNING.

UUHHHHH...

THE "HOLDING TANK" TURNED OUT TO BE AN EMPTY GARAGE.

THIS OUGHT TO HOLD YOU FOR NOW.

LIE DOWN AND SLEEP IT OFF.

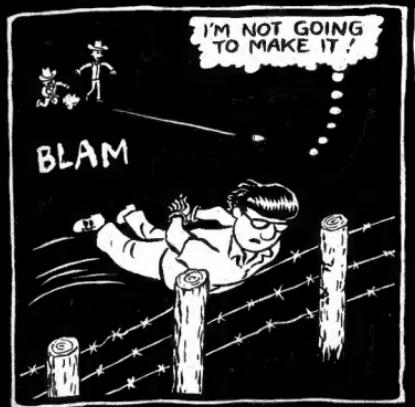
I GOT TO MY FEET AND DEVISED A PLAN.

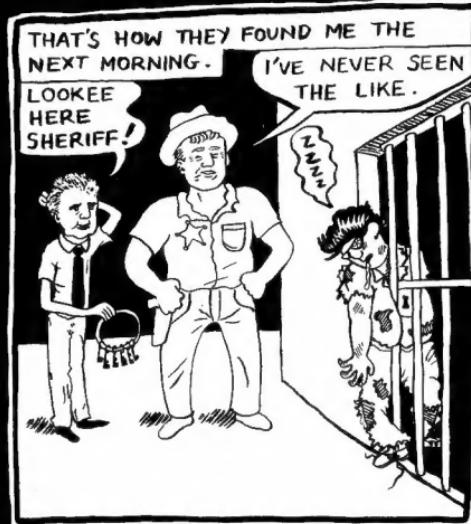
THAT DOOR LOOKS KIND OF FLIMSY. MAYBE IF I PUT MY HEAD DOWN AND RUN AT IT FULL BORE...

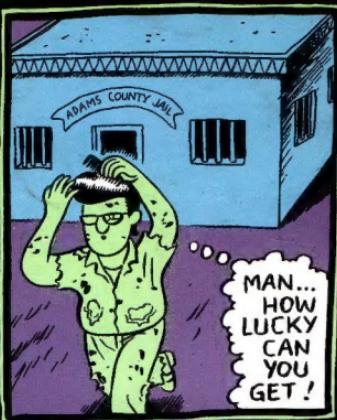
I MADE IT!

OUR PRISONER GOT LOOSE!

LET'S GO!







A Pyramid Scan



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